

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Detergent or micelle free cleaning media based on detergent free and/or micelle free liquid CO₂ and including from 0.01 to 5 % by weight of the formulation of a cleaning additive which is at least one multi-ester having a molecular weight of not more than 750 can be used in dry cleaning of textiles. Desirable cleaning additives are of the formula (1): $R^1(XR^2)_n$ where X, R¹, R², and n have defined meanings, particularly to be esters of multi-carboxylic acids and mono-hydroxy alcohols or esters of mono-carboxylic acids and multi-hydroxy alcohols.